IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
B. A. No. 9579 of 2020

Pawan Das @ Pawan Kumar Das … Petitioner

Versus

The State of Jharkhand … Opposite Party

Coram: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR CHOUDHARY

For the Petitioner : Mr. A.K. Chaturvedy , Adv.
For the State : Mr. S.K. Jha , Addl. P.P.
For the informant : Mr. S. Sinha, Adv.

02 / 10.12.2020 Heard the parties through Video Conferencing.

Learned counsel for the petitioner personally undertakes to remove the defects pointed out by the Stamp Reporter within two weeks after the lockdown is over.

In view of the personal undertaking given by learned counsel for the petitioner the defects pointed out by the Stamp Reporter are ignored for the present.

The petitioner has been made accused in connection with Bashishthnagar P.S. case no. 53 of 2020 instituted under sections 304B, 34 of the Indian Penal Code.

Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the allegation against the petitioner is that the petitioner being the brother-in-law (*devar*) of the deceased, has caused dowry death of the deceased . It is then submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the allegation against the petitioner is false and those allegations are general and omnibus in nature. It is further submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner has been in jail custody since 29.07.2020 as mentioned in paragraph 15 of the bail application and the petitioner is ready and willing to co-operate with the trial of the case and co-accused with similar allegations has already been released on bail by this court vide order dated 10.12.2020 passed in BA no. 9583 of 2020 hence, the petitioner may be released on bail.

Learned Addl. P.P. opposes the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

Considering the facts of the case, the petitioner is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 25,000/- (Rupees Twenty

Five Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned CJM, Chatra in connection with Bashishthnagar P.s. case no. 53 of 2020 subject to the condition that the petitioner will co-operate with the trial of the case.

(**ANIL KUMAR CHOUDHARY, J.)**

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